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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Robert Austin Porter )

Serial No.: 10/609,114 )

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For: Apparatus and method for automatically  
grading and inputting grades to electronic  
gradebooks. )

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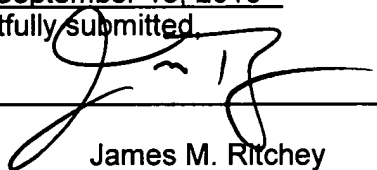
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